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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

**ANNUAL REPORT OF RESEARCH FACILITY**  
(TYPE OR PRINT)

REGISTRATION NUMBER: 58-R-009XXXXX 58-R-0505

Customer Number: 383

2. HEADQUARTERS RESEARCH FACILITY [Name and Address, as registered with USDA, include Zip Code]

University Of Southern Mississippi

118 College Dr.

Hattiesburg, MS

(b)(2)High, (b)(7)f

Telephone: (601) 266 6116

3. REPORTING FACILITY [List all locations where animals were housed or used in active research, testing, learning, or experimentation, or held for these purposes. Attach additional sheets if necessary.]

FACILITY LOCATIONS (See Attached Listing)

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RECORD OF ANIMALS USED BY THE UNDERTAKING OF RESEARCH FACILITY (Attach additional sheets if necessary or use APHIS FORM 7023A.)					
A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.
Animals Covered By The Animal Welfare Regulations	Number of animals being bred, conditioned, or held for use in teaching, testing, experiments, research, or surgery but not yet used for such purposes.	Number of animals upon which teaching, research, experiments, or tests were conducted involving no pain, distress, or use of pain-relieving drugs.	Number of animals upon which experiments, teaching, research, surgery, or tests were conducted involving accompanying pain or distress to the animals and for which the use of appropriate anesthetic, analgesic, or tranquillizing drugs would have adversely affected the procedure results, or interfered with the teaching, research, experiments, surgery, or tests. (An explanation of the procedures producing pain or distress on these animals and the reasons such drugs were not used must be attached to this report.)	Number of animals upon which learning, experiments, research, surgery, or tests were conducted involving accompanying pain or distress to the animals and for which the use of appropriate anesthetic, analgesic, or tranquillizing drugs would have adversely affected the procedure results, or interfered with the teaching, research, experiments, surgery, or tests. (An explanation of the procedures producing pain or distress on these animals and the reasons such drugs were not used must be attached to this report.)	TOTAL NUMBER OF ANIMALS (Cols. C + D + E)
4. Dogs					
5. Cats					
6. Guinea Pigs					
7. Hamsters	5	5			5
8. Rabbits		1	8		9
9. Non-human Primates		18			18
10. Sheep					
11. Pigs					
12. Other Farm Animals					
13. Other Animals					

ASSURANCE STATEMENTS

1. Professionally acceptable standards governing the care, treatment, and use of animals, including appropriate use of anesthetic, analgesic, and tranquilizing drugs, prior to, during, and following actual research, teaching, testing, surgery, or experimentation were followed by this research facility.
2. Each principal investigator has considered alternatives to painful procedures.
3. This facility is adhering to the standards and regulations under the Act, and it has required that exceptions to the standards and regulations be specified and explained by the principal investigator and approved by the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC). A summary of all such exceptions is attached to this annual report. In addition to identifying the IACUC approved exceptions, this summary includes a brief explanation of the exceptions, as well as the species and number of animals affected.

4. The animal care and use committee of this facility has determined that the methods of animal care and use described in this annual report are in accordance with the standards of animal care and

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DATE SIGNED  
12/14/08